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CHAIRMAN POWELL:

I AM OPPOSED TO LOOSENING THE RESTRICTIONS ON MEDIA MONOPOLY IN AMERICA. WE HAVE ONLY A FEW RICH AND POWERFUL FAMILIES THAT OWN MOST OF THE MAJOR ELECTRONIC AND PRINT MEDIA.

THIS MONOPOLY IS THE ENEMY OF AMERICA BECAUSE IT RESTRICTS A FULL COVERAGE OF ALL THE NEWS. WE CAN ONLY SEE AND READ WHAT THEY WANT US TO KNOW. I DO NOT TAKE ANY OF THE DAILY NEWSPAPERS FOR THIS REASON.

AMERICA HAS SHRUNK FROM THE TRUE AMERICA OF 40 YEARS AGO. CONGRESS AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS ALLOWED TOO MANY MONOPOLIES AND THE CONSEQUENCES ARE HUGE CORPORATIONS BEKING AMERICAN TAXPAYERS OUT OF THEIR LIFE SAVINGS. SOMETIMES BIG IS BAD.

Sincerely,  
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to the for your country men by  
saying "to the contrary the nation  
is a nation more of the news. We  
don't need any more monopolies.

The news is censored - &  
I said now don't let it  
become a

Concerned citizen



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Michael K. Powell and Commissioners  
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Dear Sir and Commissioners:

This is written in reference to proposals to weaken regulations for standards for media ownership. Years back when many of us were learning to type, we commonly used the sentence, "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country." Perhaps we could have said, "...to the aid of their democracy."

Perhaps this is such a time. Your decision to hold the line - or even tighten it up - may displease a few. But not long down the way you will be able to look back with deep satisfaction knowing you did come to the aid of your country's democracy - to the everlasting gratitude of those who hope to keep the flame burning.

Sincerely

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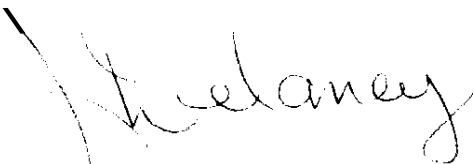
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SUBJECT: MEDIA MONOPOLY. IF I ASKED MY GOLF-PLAYING NEIGHBOR WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT MEDIA MONOPOLY OR WHO HIS THREE MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS ARE, HE'D RESPOND WITH, "HUH?". . . AND REACH FOR HIS REMOTE TO JOIN THE TV SPORTS WORLD. NO SURPRISE. BECAUSE OF THE MEDIA, AMERICA IS KEPT DUMBED-DOWN. IT'S MY BUSINESS TO KNOW; I WAS ONCE PART OF IT ("HOW CAN WE SLANT THIS?").

WITHOUT PONTIFICATION, STRONGLY URGE THE COMMISSION AND ALL COMMISSIONERS TO TIGHTEN CURRENT STANDARDS AND RESTRICT THE GROWTH OF MEDIA MONOPOLY IN THE USA. THE ALTERNATIVE IS UNTHINKABLE.

GOOD LUCK TO US ALL IN 2003!!!



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